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March 2008 Construction Newsletter

TOWER - Level 11 overhead mechanical systems have completed and ceiling/walls are framed and ready for drywall. Level 5 Mechanical Room and HVAC equipment substantially complete. Equipment being readied for permanent power.

EAST PORTION - Plaster restoration of the Grand Reference Room continues and is approximately 75% complete. Interior wall framing in progress on Levels 1 through 4. Overhead mechanical system installation is ongoing Ground Level through Level 4. Roof replacement continues, but is being slowed by February's weather. Exterior limestone on the east elevation is ongoing and approaching completion.

NEW WEST BUILDING - Skylight glass installation is at 80%. Framing has started on the curtainwall for Levels 1 - 4. All interior masonry block work is complete. The Mechanical Penthouses are erected and under roof. Condensate and chilled water systems are tied into OSU's main systems.

Upcoming March Activities

- Remove tower crane and sidewalk bridge
- Complete west skylight
- Begin exterior limestone-west elevation
- Begin sitework north and east of Library
- Continue mechanical and electrical systems rough-in
- Tie-in steam system to OSU mains



For more details, visit library.osu.edu/sites/renovation.
Project Opens Autumn 2009

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Additional Photos

March 1 Aerials



Looking up through the West Skylight
Tower Crane still in place



Looking southwest through the new
West Building

